



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT:

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SERIAL NO:

08/977,915

ART UNIT: 3765

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November 25, 1997

EXAMINER: Falik, A.

FOR:

AIR DISTRIBUTOR ASSEMBLY AND PROCESS FOR AIR

CONDITIONING A TEXTILE MACHINE USING A DISPLACEMEN

TYPE AIR FLOW SYSTEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action.

Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$400.00 for payment of the fee for a 2 -month Extension of Time (Large Entity).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees applicable to the undersigned attorney's deposit account No. 01-0265.

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Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: ATTN: GROUP ART UNIT 3765, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on March 14, 2002. Date of Signature: March 14, 2002.

Signature

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